

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

(Caption of Case)

Application of Allied Wireless Communications
Corporation d/b/a Alltel for Designation as an Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COVER SHEET

DOCKET
NUMBER: 2010 - 385 - C

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Re: Application of Allied Wireless Communications Corporation d/b/a Alltel
for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier
Docket No. 2010-385-C

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of the South Carolina Telephone Coalition, please find a Petition to Intervene in the above-referenced matter. By copy of this letter and Certificate of Service, all parties of record are being served by U. S. Mail with a copy of this Petition.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE
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Docket No. 2010-385-C

In the Matter of Application of Allied Wireless)	PETITION TO
Communications Corporation for Designation as an)	INTERVENE OF THE
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to)	SOUTH CAROLINA
Section 214(e)(2) of the Communications Act of 1934)	TELEPHONE COALITION
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The South Carolina Telephone Coalition ("SCTC") and its member companies respectfully submit the within Petition to Intervene in the above-referenced docket. In support of their Petition, SCTC and its member companies would respectfully show unto this honorable Commission:

1. SCTC is a coalition of incumbent local exchange telephone companies organized and doing business under the laws of the State of South Carolina. SCTC's members are telephone companies or telephone cooperatives subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission for purposes of this proceeding. A list of companies on whose behalf the SCTC is intervening in this matter is attached hereto as "Exhibit A."

2. SCTC and each of its individual member companies as reflected in Exhibit A, collectively and individually, seek to intervene in this proceeding with full rights to participate as parties of record in so far as their interests might appear.

3. Allied Wireless Communications Corporation ("Allied Wireless") has applied for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") in the State of South Carolina, and proposes to receive federal high-cost universal service funding.

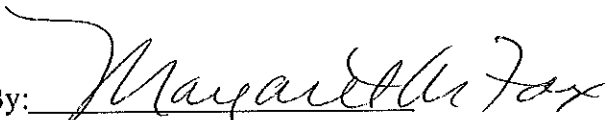
4. SCTC and its member companies have an interest in this proceeding and will be affected by its outcome. SCTC and its member companies position is that approval of Allied Wireless'

application is not in the public interest because it will not further universal service in South Carolina. Additionally, SCTC's member companies are current recipients of federal high-cost universal service funding and, due to the considerable uncertainty surrounding universal service reform, the approval of additional competitive ETCs in South Carolina could impact the availability of future high-cost federal universal service funding in South Carolina. SCTC's and its member companies' participation in this proceeding will aid the Commission in a full and fair consideration and resolution of the request.

5. Correspondence and communications to SCTC and its member companies with respect to this proceeding should be directed to the undersigned counsel.

WHEREFORE, the South Carolina Telephone Coalition and its member companies respectfully request that this honorable Commission permit their intervention in this proceeding as their interests might appear.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chesnee Telephone Company

Chester Telephone Company, d/b/a TruVista

Farmers Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Ft. Mill Telephone Company, d/b/a Comporium Communications

Hargray Telephone Company, Inc.

Home Telephone Company, Inc.

Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Lancaster Telephone Company, d/b/a Comporium Communications

Lockhart Telephone Company, d/b/a TruVista

McClellanville Telephone Company

Norway Telephone Company

Palmetto Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Piedmont Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

PBT Telecom, d/b/a Comporium Communications

Ridgeway Telephone Company, d/b/a TruVista

Rock Hill Telephone Company, d/b/a Comporium Communications

Sandhill Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

St. Stephen Telephone Company

West Carolina Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Williston Telephone Company

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**CERTIFICATE
OF SERVICE**

I, Rebecca W. Martin, do hereby certify that I have this date served one (1) copy of the attached Petition to Intervene upon the following parties causing said copy to be deposited with the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and properly affixed thereto, and addressed as follows:

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